LEGAL NOTICE TOWN OF BERLIN

INVITATION TO BID

Farmington Avenue Bridge Replacement BID #2016-18

Sealed bids for the Town of Berlin's Farmington Avenue Bridge Replacement Project, Bridge #04474, will be received at the Department of Public Works, Room 8, 240 Kensington Road, Berlin, CT until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 11, 2016. At that time all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

A <u>Mandatory</u> pre-Bid Conference will be held on Monday, February 1, 2016, at 2:00 P.M., for a site walk-thru. All prospective bidders are required to attend. Eligible bidders must be prequalified with ConnDOT. Contractors are also required to include a bid bond (5%) at the time of bid receipt; if awarded a contract, a performance and payment bond (100%) will be required.

Copies of the bid packages may be obtained on or after Thursday, January 21, 2016. Complete bid documents can be obtained for a **non-refundable** deposit **of \$70.00** for <u>EACH SET</u> through **Advanced Reprographics**, 50 Corporate Avenue, Plainville, CT 06062, (860) 677-8817, www.advancedrepro.net.

This contract is subject to utilization goals and requirements for participation of certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE). The Town of Berlin hereby notifies all bidders that this contract has been assigned a 5% goal for DBE, as certified by ConnDOT. Only DBE firms certified by ConnDOT are eligible to perform work or provide services that will count towards the goal. Prevailing Wage rates will apply.

The Town of Berlin is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Minority/Women's Business Enterprises are encouraged to apply. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any minor irregularities in the bidding, and to award this contract to the bidder deemed to be in the best interest of the Town.

Adam Tulin Purchasing Agent

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